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## Department of Defense Directive <sup>ASD(MRA&L)</sup>

ECT : Exemption Under Title II, Federal **Property and**  
Administrative Services **Act**--Transportation and Traffic

- Ref er ences:
- (a) DoD Directive 5126.9, "Exemption Under Title II of the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act--Transportation and Traffic Management, " October 2, 1954 (hereby canceled)
  - (b) Section 201(a) , Title II, Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949, as amended (Title 40, United States Code, Section 481(a))
  - (c) Secretary of Defense memorandum to Administrator, GSA, regarding the exemption to reference (b) , October 2, 1954
  - (d) DoD Directive 5124.1, "Assistant Secretary of Defense (Manpower, Reserve Affairs, and Logistics) ," April 20, 1977

### A. REISSUANCE AND PURPOSE

This Directive reissues reference (a) , and sets forth the policy of the Department of Defense in the field of transportation and traffic management.

### B. APPLICABILITY

The provisions of this Instruction apply to the Office of the Secretary of Defense and the General Services Administration (references (b) and (c)) .

### C. POLICY

1. Under reference (b) , the Secretary of Defense determined that it was in the best interests of national security for the Department of Defense to be exempt from action taken or action that may be taken by the Administrator of the General Services Administration in:

a. The prescription of policies and methods of procurement and supply of transportation and traffic management.

b. The performance of functions related to procurement and supply of transportation and traffic management.

c. The representation in negotiations with carriers and in proceedings involving carriers before Federal and State **regula-**  
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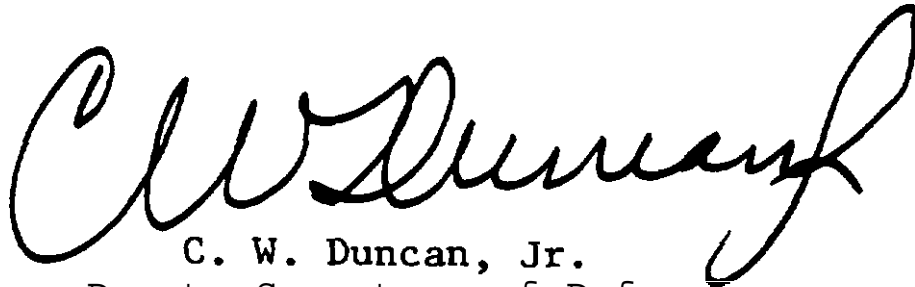
2. The Department of Defense shall continue to cooperate with the General Services Administration in transportation and traffic management matters of mutual interest. In those instances where the General Services Administration and the Department of Defense have mutual interest and common objectives, the Department of Defense shall continue to act jointly with the General Services Administration.

D. RESPONSIBILITIES

The Assistant Secretary of Defense (Manpower, Reserve Affairs, and Logistics) shall be responsible for transportation and traffic management in the Department of Defense in accordance with DoD Directive 5124.1 (reference (d)) .

E. EFFECTIVE DATE

This Directive is effective immediately.



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